The Form of An Inden-

ture between the Sheriff and the Bur-
gesses and Inhabitants of Burroughs.

His Indenture made the day of   In the year of our Lord one thousand six hundred fifty and four, Between A. B. High Sheriff of the Countie of   of the one part, And C. D. E. F. G. H. &c. Burgesses and Inhabitants of the Burrough of   of the other part, Witnesseth, That by vertue of a Warrant unto J. K.   of the said Burrough of   from the said High Sheriff to him directed, for the Electing and Choosing of   Burgesses of good understanding, knowledge and discretion for Causes concerning the Publique good of this Common-wealth, To be at His Highness Parlament to be holden at Westminster, the third day of September next; we the said Burgesses and Inhabitants there, have made Choice and Election of L. and M. to be Burgesses of the said Burrough of   to attend at the said Parlament according to the tenour of the said Warrant unto him the said J. K. directed in that Behalf; who for themselves and all the People of the said Burrough have full power to do and consent unto those things which in the aforesaid Parlament shall then and there

there, by Common Council and Consent, happen to be Ordained. Provided and it is hereby declared, That they shall not have power to alter the Government as it is now settled in one Single Person and a Parlament. In Witness Whereof we the parties above named to these presents interchangably set our hands and Seals, the day and year first above Written.

Thursday the 8. of June, 1654.

ORdered by His Highnefs the Lord Protector and His Council, That the feverall forms of Indentures between the Sheriff & the Electors of Perfons to ferve in Parlament for Counties, and of the Indentures between the Sheriff and the Burgeffes and Inhabitants of Burroughs, be forthwith Printed and Publifhed, and that printed Copies thereof be fent down to the feverall Sheriffs, to the end the Indentures may be made according to thefe Forms.

Henry Scobell, Clerk of the Council.